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## BUILDING UNITED STATES NAVY "EAGLES"

Detroit, May 16.—(Associated Press)—Quantity production is to be the watchword of the great Ford Shipbuilding yard which is being erected here for the construction of the United States navy "Eagles," the little vessels which, it is hoped, will help rid the seas of German U-boats.

The assembling plan has been greatly elaborated and will be applied to the building of the "Eagles." The raw material will enter one end of the plant to emerge at the other end a completed fighting craft. Each of the little vessels will be passed along by powerful machinery from one group of workmen to another and, as it passes, each group will add something to the boat.

When the last rivet has been driven in the steel hull, the boat will be picked up bodily by a powerful hydraulic lift and deposited further down the ways where skilled

workmen will install the motor equipment.

Three ways have been constructed, each to hold seven of the submarine chasers. It is generally understood that the plant will be able to put into the water one completed "Eagle" a day and some estimates have placed the number as high as three for each twenty-four hours.

There will be no champagne christenings nor elaborate launching ceremonies. No efforts are being made to give the boats any touch of artificial beauty, the sole effort being to turn out with as great speed as possible an efficient weapon against German ruthlessness on the seas. Government secrecy shrouds the major details of construction.

"If these boats will hasten the end of the frightful carnage and bring a lasting peace, there will be no occasion to worry over the cost," said Henry Ford in discussing

the project. "This is your war and my war, and although we did not make it, we must see it through to a successful conclusion."

Sixty days ago the land on which the plant is being erected was a desolate marsh, a vast acreage of mud through which wandered aimlessly a sluggish river. Now it is a net-work of railroad tracks with locomotives running between great buildings of steel, tile and glass.

What engineers here say is one of the largest buildings in the world will be used to house at one time a score of the little vessels. It is 1,700 feet long, 300 feet wide. The building where the boats are to be assembled is fully half a mile from the Rouge river. The launching basin adjoins this building and thence a channel is being excavated to the river.

## AUSTRIAN WARSHIPS SUNK BY THE ITALIANS

Twenty Thousand Ton Vessel Sent Down in First Clash of Navies.

Decisive Victory Won Over Hun Seaplane Forces by the Italians.

(Associated Press Cable)

Rome, May 16.—An Austrian battleship was torpedoed by Italian forces in Pola harbor early Tuesday morning it was officially announced today.

The battleship was of the Viribus Unitis (20,000 ton vessels).

The Italian force worked its way into the Austrian naval base by dodging the patrol boats and search lights of the defenders.

While the naval operation was progressing a seaplane force engaged Austrian battleplanes. Two of the Austrians were brought down, and several others compelled to descend out of control. The Italian machines all returned safely.

There are four Austrian battleships of the Viribus Unitis class which comprise the largest and most modern vessels completed for the Austrian navy up to the time the European war broke out.

Each of the battleships of the class displaces 20,000 tons, is 520 feet long, 89 feet beam and 28 feet draft.

The complement of the ship ranges from 962 to 988 men. All are heavily armored and are classed as dreadnaughts. The Viribus Unitis developed a speed of 20.9 knots.

## CONCRETE VESSELS ORDERED BUILT

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, May 16.—Immediate construction of 14 concrete tank steamers with a total capacity of 105,000 tons and of four concrete cargo vessels with total capacity of 12,500 tons, was decided on today by the Shipping Board.

## CASUALTY LISTS

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, May 16.—The casualty list today contained 91 names, as follows:

Killed in action, 8; died of wounds, 4; died of accidents, 1; died of disease, 4; died other causes, 1; wounded severely, 4; wounded slightly, 65; missing in action, 14.

Among those reported slightly wounded are Lt. Lester S. MacGregor, of Findlay, Ohio and Leonard Gonnelle, Youngstown, O.

## MRS. POTTER PALMER DIES IN FLORIDA



MRS. POTTER PALMER

Mrs. Potter Palmer, one of the most prominent and wealthy women in the United States, died at her winter home in Sarasota, Fla., recently. Mrs. Palmer was formerly Miss Bertha Honore, of Louisville. She was the recognized social leader of Chicago for many years, at first the society leaders in the East looked at her askance. This was when Newport refused to recognize any one from Chicago as of the elect.

But Mrs. Palmer broke down the barriers at Newport, and when she had done this, passed on to social status for all time unquestioned.

## HUGE GUNS TAKEN BACK FOR REPAIRS

(Associated Press Cable)

Geneva, May 16.—Two of the German long distance guns which have been bombarding Paris, have been removed to the Krupp plant for repairs, the Constance Zeitung states. Such huge guns, the newspaper adds, cannot be fired indefinitely without time-repairs.

## LIFE PENALTY IS GIVEN NICELY

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Wilmington, O., May 16.—John Nicely, indicted for breaking into an inhabited house in the night time and for criminal assault on Lida Schoonover, today was sentenced to life in the Ohio Penitentiary on the first charge. He will be taken to the state prison immediately.

It is the first time that the extreme penalty has been invoked in Clinton county for housebreaking in the night time.

## AMERICAN ENGINEERS AT WORK IN FRANCE



AMERICAN ENGINEERS AT WORK. © COMMITTEE FOR PUBLIC INFORMATION. PHOTO BY J. H. HARRIS.

American engineers building a corduroy road in France for supplying the front lines.

## PRESIDENT WILL FIGHT RESOLUTION

Chief Executive Believes the Chamberlain Resolution Would be Dangerous "Dragnet."

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, May 16.—President Wilson today renewed his fight against adoption by the Senate of Senator Chamberlain's resolution for a war inquiry by the Senate Military Committee. He advised Senator Thompson of Kansas that the resolution as amended yesterday by the Senate Expenditures Committee still was objectionable.

Considering all the circumstances he told Senator Thompson the Chamberlain resolution even as modified would, in effect, authorize a "dragnet" investigation by the military committee.

NO COMMENT.

Senator Chamberlain declined to comment on the President's opposition to the amended resolution but again indicated that should the Senate defeat the resolution he was for dropping the investigations.

It is understood to be his view that the Military Committee is subordinate to the Senate and that defeat of the resolution denying the committee the inquisitorial authority it seeks should be regarded as a disapproval upon the inquiries.

## HALF MILLION MEN

(Associated Press Cable)

Simla, India, May 14.—via Ottawa, Canada.—The government of India has decided to recruit at once more than 500,000 men. Central and provincial publicity bureaus will be established. The provincial government has reaffirmed the resolution of loyalty adopted at the Delhi conference promising all possible aid.

## U. S. TROOPS WOULD BE WELCOME IN ITALY

Washington, May 16.—(Associated Press)—Italy, in an informal way, has made known to the United States that the presence of American troops on the Italian front is greatly desired, it became known here today.

A few thousand men under the American flag, Italians feel, would hearten the Italian civilian population and their troops.

## AMERICANS LAND THREE ENEMY PLANES

(Associated Press Cable)

With the American Army in France, May 15.—The first American official communique issued since the Americans entered the fighting line on Apremont Bays, was issued tonight. It reports increased artillery activity northwest of Toul and in Lorraine as well as the destruction of three German machines by two American aviators.

The statement reads:

6:00 p. m. Headquarters A. E. F. Northwest of Toul and in Lorraine there was a marked increase in artillery activity on both sides.

"Today our aviators brought down three German machines. There is nothing else of importance to report."

An earlier dispatch Wednesday from the American front in France said Captain Kenneth Marr, of California, had brought down an enemy biplane and that Captain David Peterson of Honesdale, Pa., had brought down two German airplanes in the Toul sector.

## OUR WORD

(By Associated Press Cable)

Paris, May 16.—The United States has promised to have 1,500,000 fighting men in France by the end of 1918, L'Homme Libre, Premier Clemenceau's newspaper says.

These troops, it adds, must have

## FOR BIG DRIVE

By Associated Press Dispatch.

New York, May 16.—With the return from abroad today of Henry P. Davison, chairman of the American Red Cross, activities in preparation for the drive for the Red Cross war fund of \$100,000,000 began to boil.

Mr. Davison returns to take direct charge of the money gathering and announced he would give out a statement later.

With President Wilson, Mr. Davison will formally open the campaign here Saturday night.

## M'ADOO ASKS CONTRACTORS NOT TO TAKE R. R. WORKERS

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, May 16.—Director General McAdoo today asked the department of labor to stop private contractors from taking railroad workers. The contractors, he said, have refused to co-operate with the government and are disorganizing the working forces on the roads.

The department of labor replied that at present it has no authority to stop the practice but that through its new labor administrator it hopes to remedy conditions later.

## GERMANS LOSE ALL ATTACKS

Local Fighting Has Died Down in Flanders and Picardy.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Local fighting has died down again in Flanders and Picardy and only the guns are busy. The artillery fire continues all along these fronts as well as on the Arras front and is most violent north of Kemmel and north and south of the Somme from Albert to the Avre.

In Flanders the Germans have been disappointed in their attempt to gain Hill 44 as the French not only drove them from the high ground but also penetrated their positions.

In Picardy the Germans have not renewed their counter attacks to drive the French from the wooded terrain captured near Hallees. German and French artillery fire continues heavy north of the Avre.

The lull in northern Italy remains unbroken but with expectations that heavy fighting will break out soon against the Italian lines from the Stelvio Pass to Monte Grappa, just east of the Brenna river, in the hope of breaking through the Italian defense and reaching Brescia and Milan.

Rome reports lively artillery and patrol engagements along the mountain front and the dispersal of enemy troops at two points by Italian batteries.

An attempt by enemy aircraft to raid Paris Wednesday night was frustrated.

Germany's ambitions as regards Austria-Hungary's place in the Mittel Europa plan, German newspapers indicate, will be realized in the convention agreed upon by two emperors. The agreement which is not yet signed calls for an alliance of 25 years with closest economic and more severe military obligations.

## WILL HEAR THE PROPOSALS

(By Associated Press Cable)

London, May 16.—Great Britain is prepared to consider peace proposals from the enemy provided they are put forward by accredited persons in a straightforward manner, Foreign Secretary Balfour declared today in the House of Commons.

"If any representative of any belligerent country desires seriously to lay before us any proposals, we are ready to listen to them," he said.

The British government was desirous of an honorable termination of the war, he added, but the peace moves of the Central Powers heretofore have not been in the interest of fair and honorable peace.

## WISE PREDICTS BETTER DAYS FOR THE JEWS



RABBI STEPHEN S. WISE

A revival of Judaism in America and better days for the race were predicted by Rabbi Stephen S. Wise in the course of an unusual sermon in New York. Speaking on "What Is the Matter with the American Israel?" he said in part: "Upper Broadway is flooded with the blatant and intolerably vulgar Jew, who breeds contempt in the minds of all self-respecting persons. It is not poor, ill-dressed, humble Jew who makes the Jewish problem, but the loud-mouthed, over dressed one who brings the name of the Jew in just contempt."

## MAIL PLANE HITS A SNAG

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, May 16.—The post office department was informed that the United States mail airplane which left New York for Philadelphia today, piloted by Lt. Stephen Bonsal, was smashed in making a landing at Bridgetown, N. J. The aviator was not hurt.

The aviator, the message to the post office department said, lost his way, and in attempting a landing ran into a fence. The mail will be taken to Philadelphia by motor truck and dispatched to Washington in another machine.

## NOT AT WAR

(By Associated Press Cable)

Montevideo, Uruguay, May 16.—The German government has informed Uruguay in response to the request for a definition of the relations between the two countries that it does not consider a state of war exists.

A German submarine recently held up a steamship on which a mission from Uruguay was traveling to France and detained the mission. The commander of the submarine explained his action by saying German considered a state of war existed with Uruguay. An inquiry was addressed to Germany by Uruguay with the statement that if Germany considered herself at war with Uruguay the Uruguayan government would declare war. Subsequently the Uruguayan mission was permitted to proceed to France.



# The Airplanes Are Coming!

A fleet of airplanes from the Fairfield Aviation Field will arrive in this city Saturday morning about 11 o'clock and land in the Howat field on the Greenfield pike.

## At 2:30 Saturday Afternoon

one of the most daring aviators in America will give

## Exhibitions of the Most Dangerous Stunts known to aerial navigation

This will be done over the city. Should the weather be bad, the airmen will, necessarily, postpone their visit.

## Band Concert Will Be Given

after the demonstration in the air, on the court house lawn, and

## Hon. John G. Price of Columbus

together with other prominent speakers, will address the big audience. Everybody welcome. Free to all. Bring the youngsters

## The Fayette County War Work Council.

### AMANDA FARMER'S WHEAT IS SEIZED BY UNCLE SAMUEL

Fairfield County Farmer Had Refused to Sell His Wheat So Federal Food Administration Agents Seize It, Thresh Part of Hoarded Grain and Market It.

William Deering, widely known farmer residing near Amanda, just over the Pickaway county line, in Fairfield county, is the first Ohio farmer to feel the firm grip of the government for hoarding wheat, and what happened to him is told as follows:

Deering declared the United States Government had no right to tell him what he should do with his wheat. He had an accumulation of four crops on hand, approximately 3,000 bushels. About 800 bushels from the 1914 and 1915 crops is musty and infected with weevil and probably unfit for human consumption. Nearly 1,000 bushels from the 1917 crop remained unthreshed.

Deering had ignored the nation-wide appeal made by Herbert Hoover, United States Food Administrator, to all farmers to market their wheat in order to help feed the soldiers and our allies.

When representatives from the Food Administration called on Deering Tuesday and requested him to thresh his wheat and voluntarily bring it to market, he refused. Whereupon his supply was requisitioned under authority of the Food Control act of August 10, 1917.

Within half an hour after the requisition notice had been served on Deering, arrangements were made by the

Food Administration to begin at once the threshing of Deering's 1917 wheat and steps taken to get the 1916 crop and that part of the 1917 crop already threshed, hauled to market.

The threshing bee started early this morning. It is probably the first threshing bee ever conducted by the Government. It is the first case in Ohio where it has been necessary for the Food Administration to invoke the full authority of the act, authorizing the commandeering of wheat.

Deering was at one time offered as high as \$3.30 a bushel for his wheat. The Food Administration Grain Corporation will pay him the Government price at the elevator in Amanda, which is \$2.05 a bushel for his grade of wheat. Disposition of the 1914 and 1915 wheat, which is very musty and probably unfit for milling, is held in abeyance. Boyd Swope, elevator man at Amanda, acted as agent for H. D. Irwin, of the grain corporation at Philadelphia, in buying the wheat. Representing Administrator Croxton in the transaction were Stewart Hoover and Thos. D. Phillips, of Mr. Croxton's staff.

Farmers from the neighborhood came to help in the threshing. George Aldenderfer, 75 years old, who had been following threshing for nearly 40 years, said this was his first time to thresh wheat in May. The ground was too wet for planting corn, which enabled farmers to help Uncle Sam on the job with little inconvenience to themselves. Except in cases where they owed Deering work, they will be paid by the Government out of money deducted from the wheat.

There was a steady stream of wheat wagons to the elevator at Amanda. The Government agents arranged for the voluntary marketing of several carloads in addition to that requisitioned on Deering's place.

During the last few days reports have been coming in to the Food Administration from various parts of the state of hoarded wheat, and further investigations are under way.

### A NEW MODERATOR WILL BE CHOSEN BY PRESBYTERIANS

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Columbus, O., May 16.—Election of a new moderator of the Presbyterian General Assembly today held the center of interest in connection with the opening here of the 139th annual sessions of the body. The assembly will continue for ten days. The election will be held late today following the sermon this morning by the retiring moderator, Rev. Dr. J. Wilbur Chapman, widely known as an evangelist.

Among those mentioned for the place are: Dr. W. O. Thompson, president of Ohio State university; Rev. William A. (Billy) Sunday, the evangelist; Dr. J. Frank Smith, of Dallas, Texas; Dr. W. R. King, of St. Louis, and Dr. W. C. Covert, of Chicago. The real contest is said to be between Dr. Smith, who was host to last year's General Assembly at Dallas, and Dr. Covert, of Chicago.

The proposed reunion of the northern and southern branches of the Presbyterian Church promises to play an important part in the election of a new moderator. Friends of Dr. Smith are urging his election as a move toward promoting the long pending effort toward the reunion of the two branches, which have been separated since the Civil War days. Dr. Smith is pastor of one of the largest southern Presbyterian churches under the jurisdiction of the northern assembly. He also was a member of the old Cumberland church, which united with the North church 14 years ago, and which has not had a moderator since uniting.

As far as can be learned, no obstacle is likely to arise in the General As-

sembly this year to prevent a vote in favor of a reunion with the Presbyterian Church south. Similar overtures have come up in several general assemblies in recent years, both in the northern and southern churches. However, something always has come up to prevent definite action although the spirit of reunion apparently prevailed. A similar overture will be presented to the general assembly of the southern branch this month.

Much attention also is being paid to an overture proposing an organic union of all evangelical churches of this country under the name "The Church of America," which has been prepared for presentation to this assembly.

### MARION MEETING VERY ENTHUSIASTIC

The War Chest meeting held in the new centralized school building on the Waterloo pike, in Marion township, Wednesday night, drew quite a large audience and the enthusiasm displayed was equal to that of any meeting yet held in the county.

Addresses were delivered and the War Chest explained by Hon. C. A. Reid, Prof. O. K. Probasco, and Mr. M. E. Hitchcock, and their words were received with hearty applause and assurance that Marion will not be found wanting when weighed in the balance during the War Chest campaign.

The Old Soldiers Fife and Drum corps furnished music for the event, and were accorded much applause. Members of the War Chest committee who were present at the meeting were greatly surprised at the attractive school building, and the thoroughly modern equipment of the building, which has electric lights and many other modern conveniences.

### MAY TAKE ABOUT SEVEN MEN MAY 29

Under a new call for induction of men into the military service, some seven men may be sent from Fayette county to the Columbus barracks, about May 29, although the Local Board has not yet received notice of the number of men to be sent from this county.

#### NOTICE

The South North Street Group of Grace M. E. Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Ed Pite Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

#### SECRETARY.

#### ENOUGH INK FOR ALL

We have been short on ink for some time but now we have a fresh shipment of Carter's Ink, enough to supply the whole town—and county too. Rodecker's New Stand.

### FARMS!

Two of Fayette County's Choicest Farms for sale. 281 Acres, 8 miles from Washington C. H. Good fences and well improved. 330 Acres on one of the best pikes in the county at a price that will interest you. If you have a farm for sale or want to buy a farm see

EDWIN F. JONES

### M'MILLAN TO ENTER MILITARY SERVICE QUILTS BUREAU HERE

Thomas W. McMillan, of Wilmington, who has been superintendent of the Fayette-Clinton-Pickaway free employment bureau with headquarters in the court house in this city, returned to his home in Wilmington, Thursday, to remain a few days before leaving with the next contingent of draftees for Camp Sherman to enter military service.

State Superintendent B. F. Toops was in the city Wednesday and Thursday arranging for Mr. McMillan's successor, who is expected to be named within a few days.

Mr. McMillan has been superintendent of the bureau in this city for three months, and during that time has done a great deal of good work in bringing employer and employee together where most needed.

He has succeeded in organizing the three counties as never before, and demonstrated beyond doubt that if the people employed in the bureaus roll up their sleeves and get busy, that the free employment bureau can be made a big success.

### MAN IS ARRESTED FOR KILLING SONG BIRDS IN FAYETTE

Upon an affidavit filed by Frank Hard, Fish and Game Warden, R. A. Elmendorf, surveyor who has been at work in this county surveying for one of the railroads, appeared before Justice T. N. Craig, Wednesday afternoon, facing a charge of shooting song birds. It was claimed by Deputy Game Warden Hard that the man had killed a blue bird.

A decision in the case was expected Thursday evening, and if he is found guilty, the minimum penalty is \$25 and the costs for the offense.

More attention is given to the protection of song birds than ever before, and the man or boy who kills a song bird and knowledge of the crime reaches the authorities, no mercy will be shown the offender.

### MAKING PROGRESS ON SABINA PIKE

The rebuilding of the Sabina pike is progressing quite rapidly, considering the difficulty contractors are experiencing in obtaining material for road work.

The three and one-half miles remaining to be improved at the opening of this spring has received the first or bottom course of material, and so rapidly as the second course and top dressing material can be obtained, it will be applied. If material can be obtained as rapidly as use can be made of it, a month will witness the completion of the improvement, but if there is delay in obtaining the material, owing to lack of facilities on the railroads, then the completion will be postponed accordingly.

#### TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

The first examination for teachers of the city schools of Washington C. H., Ohio, will be held at the High School building, Saturday, June 1st, 1918. Examination will begin promptly at 8:30 o'clock.

AMY V. CONN, Clerk.

May 15, 1918.

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Fancy large Aroma Strawberries, quart 25c

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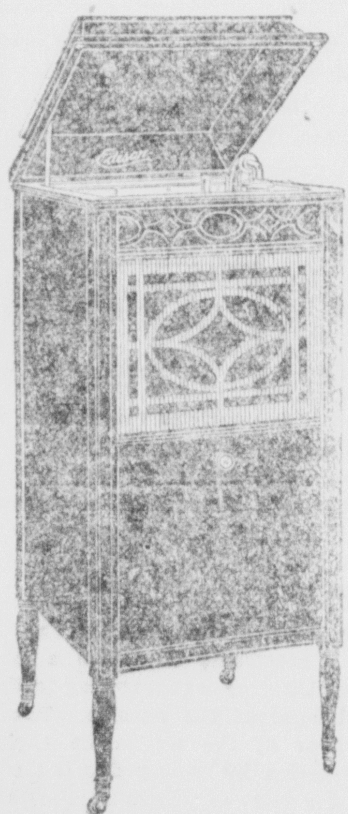
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Social and Personal

The lawn social given by Mr. and Mrs. James Wipert for the benefit of the Christian Church Wednesday night was a decided success.

The tables were placed under the beautiful Norway Maples and brilliantly lighted by electricity. The spacious verandah and the lawn was filled to overflowing with members of the congregation, friends and neighbors.

Every body had a good time. The little folks made merry with two large swings on the ground.

Several fine cakes, which had been donated, were sold at auction and quite a tidy sum was realized from the whole entertainment.

Several automobiles and a large motor truck brought out many from town.

Mr. and Mrs. Wipert were everywhere making their guests feel at home and encouraging sociability.

An exceedingly enjoyable meeting of the Presbyterian Church Missionary Society was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. F. Leland. Assisting hostess were Mesdames Woodward, Edge, Manning, Logan, Sprenger, Colaw, Harvout, Barger, Whited, Carl Schmidt, Hamm, Rankin, Palmer, Chas. Jones, Harry Jones, Nevin, Tipton, Miss Belle DeWitt. Some fifty ladies were in attendance and the topics for the day were of great interest, "Our Changing Southerners," "New Mexico," and the "Field of Siam."

After the opening service the President, Mrs. Austin F. Hopkins, expressed for herself and the society much regret over the loss of a helpful member in the going from Washington of Mrs. Arthur Leland. As Treasurer, Mrs. Leland had been most efficient and will be missed in every way.

Mrs. Will Kiever was elected Treasurer and will give an appreciative service for that work.

Special reference was made to the meeting at this time of the General Assembly of Presbyterian Church at this time in Columbus. The Women of the Home and Foreign Missionary work taking a large part there in.

Mrs. Regina Staubus announced the program, the first number being on the "Changing Southwest" by Mrs. C. H. Thoroman. This part of our American world is coming into a regeneration greatly needed and the Southwest may be the postern gate

in the change called for and coming.

The second paper, full of interest also, was on the topic "Siam—The Need and Opportunity in that Country," especially in these war days. It was an excellent paper by Mrs. Philip Davis.

Miss Mary Edge gave a beautiful piano solo, "Transcription of the Palms" and also, in the absence of the Secretary took her place for the afternoon.

A little social time was much enjoyed at the close of the meeting, during which the work at home and abroad was discussed. Dainty refreshments were served.

The annual meeting of the City Federation of Woman's Clubs resulted in the election of the following officers for the new year: Mrs. Josephine Kerr, President; Mrs. V. J. Dahl, Vice President; Mrs. D. S. Craig, Treasurer; Miss Jean Howat, Secretary.

The conscientious and untiring services of the retiring President, Mrs. George H. Hitchcock, were fully appreciated by the Federation. Mrs. Hitchcock had made it her personal work to have the club headquarters in readiness for each organization which convened and this work necessitated no small effort.

Mrs. Kerr, the incoming President, made brief remarks, expressing her desire that this organization take up and put through civic work during the coming year. She especially wanted to have enforced the ordinance forbidding expectation.

The Federation voted that a committee be appointed to express its gratitude to Mayor Dahl for his efforts towards a "Moral Clean Up" for Washington.

Mrs. Dahl presented a communication from the State Federation of Women's Clubs stating their purpose of establishing a Rest House for American soldiers in France and asked that each member of the local Federation contribute on dollar towards this fund.

The O. M. A. Club enjoyed a picnic supper at the McCoy farm Wednesday evening.

Following the picnic the club motored to Jamestown, where they were entertained at a dance given by the O. V. A. club of Jamestown.

The Sugar Grove W. C. T. U. held their regular meeting with Mrs. Dave Martine on the Creek Road. Mrs. Frank E. Haines had the meeting in charge.

The topic for the afternoon was divided into parts, "What Other Countries Are Doing," and "After the War Needs and Preparations for Them."

Three well written papers were read and freely discussed. Mrs. Clara Campbell presented the first one on the "Woman's Committee of the Council of National Defense," followed by Mrs. Sturgeon's paper on "Industrial Womanhood."

Mrs. Minnie Brakefield closed the program with a paper on "Ideal Womanhood."

The social hour was spent in clipping. Refreshments were omitted at this meeting, as the women voted only to serve refreshments every four weeks.

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BANKOK HATS!

A few handsome Bankoks came in this morning—they're simply stunning and quite the newest idea in millinery..... \$8.50

CRAIG BROS.

Mr. and Mrs. Hays Dill have returned from a trip to Detroit and Bay City, Mich. Their little son Howard stayed with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Haines during their absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin F. Hopkins, Mrs. Ellen Jones, Mrs. M. E. Hitchcock and Miss Esther Leland motored to Columbus Thursday morning to attend the opening of the General Assembly, the great national body of Presbyterianism, which is in session this week and next.

Mr. Frank Summers, of Cooke, entered the Hazard Hospital for osteopathic treatment Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rowland, of the Chillicothe pike, visited their sons Messrs. Ernest and Clyde Rowland, and their families near London this week.

Mrs. James Thornton came over from Xenia Thursday to visit Miss Fern Sunkle.

Miss Lina Willis is spending the day in Dayton.

Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Ireland arrived home Wednesday night from Shelbyville, Ill., where they have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Roy Dove.

Messrs. Hugh Smith, John Arnold, Earl Baker and Charles Bacey motored to Chillicothe Wednesday.

Lieutenant and Mrs. L. G. Snider arrived Tuesday evening from Ft. Dodge, Des Moines, Iowa. Lt. Snider has been transferred to Camp Jackson, and left Wednesday afternoon for Columbia, S. C. Mrs. Snider will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C.

Hard, for a few weeks, going on South to join her husband.

Miss Ollie May Wilson of Greenfield is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Hillery.

Mr. Willard Smith of the N. W. Ayer & Son Advertising Co., at Philadelphia, stopped here Wednesday to see his sister, Mrs. G. L. Hart, enroute to Nashville, Tenn. Mr. Smith expects to get a three-months leave of absence from the company this summer to do Y. M. C. A. work at one of the Eastern cantonments.

Mrs. Floyd Head, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hammond were among Greenfield shoppers here Wednesday.

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A more earnest, honest proposition we don't know how to make.

Drive up to the Electric Shop

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Harper arrived Thursday morning, from La Fontaine, Ind., coming by way of Oxford, where they visited their daughter Miss Charlotte at the Oxford College and attended a Recital in which Miss Harper was soloist.

Rev. G. H. Harper of Belfast, Ohio, was the guest of Mr. C. A. Dray and family Wednesday evening.

A telegram was received Wednesday by Miss Josephine Porter from Judge Wm. A. Vincent of Chicago, announcing the death of his father, Dr. John A. Vincent, Wednesday morning, at his home in Springfield, Ill. Dr. Vincent had been a prominent physician in that city for 40 years and a leader in Homeopathy. His ability was recognized all over the state and a few years ago was appointed president of the State Board of Health and held other responsible positions in Homeopathy.

Dr. Paul Hildebrandt received word Thursday of the safe arrival in France of his brother, Lt. Hugh Hildebrandt, M. R. C. Lt. Hildebrandt was a surgeon at the base hospital, Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga., prior to sailing.

Rev. Harry Hadley, rector of St. James Episcopal church, Zanesville, is visiting his parents, Hon. and Mrs. H. L. Hadley.

Mr. George Cox and son Martin Cox of Hillsboro were motoring guests here Thursday.

If thinking of buying a second-hand car this spring, the classified column will find one for you. Or if you have one to sell, they will find the buyer.

ONLY NINETEEN. The father of Earl Snyder, who was fined \$5 and costs under charge of Mrs. Minnie Robinson, states that his son is only nineteen years of age instead of 22 as stated in the report of the case.

ADDITIONAL CLASSIFIEDS WANTED—Salesmen to represent old established manufacturers and sell farmers and planters direct factory output of widely advertised roofing cement, paints and specialties. Experience unnecessary. The Acorn Refining Company, Cleveland, Ohio.

WANTED—Piece Washington and family washing to do. Call Automatic 3391.

FOR SALE—Ford touring car, 1916 model, first class condition. Frank Minnick, Good Hope.

THE OLD RELIABLE STILL IN THE LEAD

Fancy hand-picked soup beans 15c per lb., lima beans 15c per lb., not over 5 lbs. to 1 customer. All of our laundry soaps 6c per bar. Fancy bananas, oranges, lemons, apples. Will have this evening strawberries, new tomatoes, cucumbers, new potatoes 5c per lb. Fine old potatoes, new cabbage, prunes, apricots and peaches. Texas white onions, stock line, nice sour pickles 10c per dozen. Killio for chicken lice, moth, bugs of all kinds. Duffee's Cough Syrup, finest on earth for all coughs, colds and the gripe. Contains no opiates or poisons; big 6-ounce bottle for 35c. J. W. DUFFEE & CO. The Old Reliable Cash and Basket Grocers

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## An Experiment

The work being done now on the section of Market street between the Main street crossing and the alley to the east of the court house square, including the street intersection, is in the nature of an experiment for local people and rather of a demonstration by the contractors. The home folks want to try out a plan that has been frequently suggested as a solution for our "up town" street problem and the contractors want to show just how effectively the work can be done and at what a saving of time and money the old worn out, rough and rutty brick streets can be transformed into beautiful smooth asphalt boulevards.

Judging from the satisfied looks and the emphatic remarks of approval of the scores of interested on-lookers both the experiment and the demonstration are progressing satisfactorily.

Something must be done soon or business men along our "awful" up town streets will suffer in loss of business and the people will be put to no end of annoyance and inconvenience.

We can do much better, so far as price is concerned, now that the contractor is here ready for the work, but it will cost more—a great deal more—next year.

## Starving Russia

Later reports coming out of distracted Russia are that less than one half of the agricultural territory of that unhappy country, now in the control of the Bolsheviks, will be cultivated and sown to crops this season.

The horrors of starvation which are certain to follow are appalling to contemplate. Russia's present weakness means that millions—scores of millions—of human beings will be without food and must perish of hunger on the bleak barren steppes of what was formerly the great empire of the Romanoffs.

The mighty power of the Czar when put to the test proved but a frail thing after all. Not even excepting Mexico the insanity of the Russian people and the destruction of all government has brought chaos more terrible than the imagination of man could picture.

While Germany will obtain nothing of value from Ukraine until this year's crops are harvested it is not likely that the fertile plains of that section which has now been seized, will be allowed to be idle. It is more than probable that the hand of the German oppressors will bring order to that portion of the empire taken from the radicals and insist that the inhabitants raise a crop.

It is doubtful though, if enough of this year's crop will be turned over to the people of Ukraine, by their conquerors, to keep them from starving. The gravest menace to civilization is in the probability that the Germans will feed their armies from the storehouses of Ukraine filled by the toil of the unhappy masses, leaving them to starve with their tribesmen in the darker land which stretches away to the north and the east to Behring Sea.

Radicalism run riot is assembling the actors for the most colossal calamity of all time.

## Nature's Beauty

In the urban sections it seems that the well-kept yards were never prettier than they are this year. It is quite likely though that we forget past years in the enjoyment of the riotous splendor of the present season.

Nature makes her landscape pictures on a tremendously big scale and the view is equally as charming either in town or country. In the rural section in every direction the landscape is one vast checker board of squares of greens and browns and blacks. Every possible shade of green from the deep, dark, rich shades of the heavy forest foliage, clean and vigorous in its youth, to the very pale green of the acres of growing peas which, this year, seem quite abundant hereabouts.

The flowers of the early springtime, both the wild flowers and the cultivated varieties, are luxuriant and hardy looking. The severe weather of winter froze the older branches in most instances and the spring winds have blown them free from the roots, leaving the roots free to send up the new tender shoots with the entire strength of the plant relieved of the necessity for feeding the heavy branches.

A ride through the countryside of Fayette county these days will reveal a landscape unsurpassed for beauty and the plain evidence of prosperity, in all the world.

Peace, plenty and prosperity on every hand. The only disturbing thought is the constantly present one of the terrible conflict and the ever present knowledge that from this peaceful scene, so many of the boys are missing—gone to the world war across the sea.

## Poetry For Today

### THE BATTLE PRAYER

We have seen the shattered altar  
Neath a roof of startled stars,  
While the heavens seemed to falter  
And the night was red with scars.

We have watched grim incense rising  
O'er a village burned in loot,  
While gray hordes were civilizing  
Broken Belgium with the boot.

Saw, while peace-fat merchants  
snivel  
At the tithe man's honest toil,  
Watched, while coward slackers'  
drivel  
Whined against the muster-roll.

Can we face our night of anguish,  
Can we brave our battle's loss,  
While the craven spirits languish  
In the shadow of our cross?

Nay, the shadow in the valley  
Fades before a friendly wraith,  
And our loyal legions rally  
Calm in heart and sure in faith.  
Strength, then, Lord of Hosts, we  
pray Thee,  
Through our dark Gethsemane;  
Let not selfish word betray Thee,  
Nor our sacred liberty!  
Scourge us, purge us, till perfected  
Glorious we meet the morn  
When there rises, resurrected,  
Peace with Freedom—Christ reborn!  
—Leslie's

## Weather Report

Washington, May 16.—Ohio, Tennessee, Kentucky and Indiana—Fair and warmer Thursday; Friday fair.

Lower Michigan—Fair Thursday; warmer except along Lake Michigan; Friday probably showers.

Upper Michigan—Fair Thursday; warmer except in extreme south; Friday probably showers and cooler.

### WEATHER FORECAST

Ohio—Fair.

#### Daily Calendar.

From noon today to noon tomorrow: Sun sets, 8:11; sun rises, 5:42.

### CLIMATOLOGICAL CHART.

1:00 o'clock p. m.	
Temperature .....	77
Lowest last night .....	59
Moisture percentage .....	80
Barometer .....	30.20

The classified columns are always filled with opportunities to buy, sell, rent or exchange.

## Go To Camp

Or Other Cantonment and See The Sacrifices Made By Our Soldier Boys For You

1. And then come home
2. And save your money
3. And never whimper
4. When asked to buy Liberty Bonds or War Savings Stamps.
5. Start a savings account
6. With The Buckeye State Building and Loan Company.
7. Rankin Building, 22 West Gay Street, Columbus, Ohio. Assets \$14,800,000. Five per cent paid on time deposits.

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Estate of Ellen H. Mallow deceased.

Notice is hereby given that C. S. Mallow has been duly appointed and qualified as Executor of the estate of Ellen H. Mallow late of Fayette County, Ohio, deceased.

FRANK M. ALLEN,  
Judge of the Probate Court,  
No. 2075, Fayette County, Ohio.  
May 9th, 1918

## For Sale!

- 1 Chevrolet Model 490 new tires
- 1 Buick Six Touring
- 1 1915 Ford Touring

Cline Garage  
S. Fayette St.

## HOW ABOUT IT?



## INCREASE OF PAY FOR THE MAIL MEN

Washington, May 16.—The senate adopted an amendment to the post-office appropriation bill, providing for an increase of \$200 a year in the salaries of clerks, letter carriers and certain other postal employees and increases of 20 per cent for rural mail carriers and for employees receiving less than \$800 a year.

Employees receiving between \$800 and \$1,500 annually would be given increases of 15 per cent and the pay of substitute clerks and carriers would be fixed at 40 cents an hour. For fourth-class postmasters the amendment provides that they shall receive 100 per cent of stamp cancellations on the first \$100 or less, or in the event cancellations do not exceed \$50, a 20 per cent salary increase.

The debate was made the occasion for a sharp attack on Postmaster General Burleson by Senator Calder, Republican, of New York, who declared the postmaster general's attitude had been one of unremitting hostility to any increase in the wages of postal employees. Mr. Burleson's opposition to the amendment to give a flat increase of 15 per cent to postal employees is due, the senator said, to "his ambition to show a surplus in the post-office department."

The postoffice department has advocated a flat increase of \$120 a year in postal salaries.

Chairman Dent of the house military committee introduced a war department bill prohibiting immoral places within any distance of military camps or areas that the secretary of war may deem necessary for the welfare of the army. The measure provides a maximum penalty of one year in prison and a fine of \$1,000 or both.

## THE MINE SWEEPER PLAYS IMPORTANT PART IN THE WAR

(Associated Press Correspondence)

London, May 1.—When the story of the humble mine-sweeper is fully told, many stirring pages will be added to the history of anti-submarine warfare, for this little craft is sharing the work of the dashing destroyer and "chaser" in running down U-boats. A mine-sweeper invariably drops its accustomed business for the bigger game and many an enemy submersible has been accounted for by them.

According to official reports there are forty times more mine-sweepers in commission today in the service of the Allies than in July, 1914.

Recently a fleet of six, all trawlers, sighted a mine drift. The rough sea prevented the boats from sinking the mine by gunfire, darkness was coming on, and there was a possibility of losing it. So the commander approached the mine in a small boat, and when within some distance of the drifting menace he took to the water and swam the rest of the way. Attaching a line to the mine, he returned to his boat and towed it ashore where it was exploded by rifle fire.

Often days elapse before a mine which has been discovered can be

destroyed. In a terrific gale, with mountainous seas running, a party of mine-sweepers found a nest of eight mines. The boats were unable to use their guns on them and as night came on the little vessels lay to in imminent danger of being washed onto the engines of death. Next day two of the mines were sunk by gunfire but one of the sweepers was lost—how, the report does not state. It was not until the evening of the fourth day that the last of the mines was exploded.

The trawler Maux King hauled up a mine in such a dangerous position that one horn of the mine came within a few inches of the boat's rail and another was almost touching the gear. The slightest roll of the vessel would have caused its destruction. The difficulty was met by lashing the mine to the sweeper, so that it could not be bumped against the side, and experts were summoned to remove the detonators from the dangerous prize.

## ENORMOUS SUM RAISED BY TAXES

Washington, May 16.—Revised estimates of revenue receipts in the current fiscal year ending next June 30 place at \$4,095,699,000 the sum which the American people contribute directly to the government, mainly in taxes for prosecution of the war. These estimates, reported to the senate by Secretary McAdoo in compliance with a request for specific information throwing light on future revenue needs, show that about one-third the expense of the war this year has been met by taxation and two-thirds by liberty bonds.

The report disclosed that about \$2,775,185,000 will be collected on the basis of income and excess profits tax returns on file May 4. The total now expected from internal revenue, which includes income and excess profits taxation, is \$2,643,899,000; from customs, \$180,000,000; from miscellaneous sources, including first class postage, \$270,000,000, and from sale of public lands \$1,800,000. Estimates of internal revenue receipts last fall were about \$2,400,000,000.

## YOUR FACE IS YOUR FORTUNE

A thousand people look at your face while you glance at your feet—yet you spend money to keep your shoes in condition and neglect your face. RED CROSS Shaving Lotion (the after-shaving luxury), makes old faces look young and keeps all faces in the pink of condition. This and other RED CROSS toilet articles sold only by C. S. HAVER'S DRUG STORE.

## WHEN ITCHING STOPS

A Little Zemo, the Penetrating, Antiseptic, Satisfying Liquid, Gives Almost Instant Relief

There is one safe, dependable treatment that relieves itching torture and skin irritation almost instantly and that cleanses and soothes the skin.

Ask any druggist for a 5c or \$1 bottle of zemo and apply it as directed. Soon you will find that irritations, pimples, blackheads, eczema, blotches, ringworm and similar skin troubles will disappear.

A little zemo, the penetrating, satisfying liquid, is all that is needed, for it banishes most skin eruptions and makes the skin soft, smooth and healthy.

The E. W. Rose Co., Cleveland, O.

## THE PRESBYTERIANS FOR PROHIBITION FOR WAR DURATION

Columbus, May 16.—With the announcement that Dr. J. A. Vance of Detroit would be a candidate for moderator of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church, which opened its 130th annual session at Memorial hall today, the race for the office became a three-cornered contest. The other two men mentioned most prominently for the place are Dr. J. Frank Smith of Dallas, Tex., and Dr. W. C. Covert of Chicago.

Immediate national prohibition as a war measure is demanded in a resolution of the national service commission of the general assembly. Sabbath desecration is declared to be the most vexing and perplexing problem of the day for pastors.

## TO THE FARMERS

We have 200 pounds of choice Kentucky Red and Connecticut Field Pumpkin Seed we would be glad to let you have free of charge. First come first served.

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### MILITARY NOTE BOOKS

Every soldier should carry one for jotting down addresses, orders, etc. They are made without glue or mutilage. See them at Rodacker's News Stand.

### NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT

Estate of Jonah S. Marchant, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Thos. W. Marchant and Louis O. Pausch have been duly appointed and qualified as Executors of the estate of Jonah S. Marchant late of Fayette County, Ohio, deceased.

FRANK M. ALLEN,  
Judge of the Probate Court,  
No. 2075, Fayette County, Ohio.  
May 15, 1918.

In the Probate Court of Fayette County, Ohio.

The State of Ohio Fayette County ss.

To whom it may concern:— Notice is hereby given that accounts and vouchers have been filed in the office of said Court.

By Administrators of  
No. 1959 William R. Bell  
No. 2054 Pink Taylor

By Executors of  
No. 2067 J. P. Leavell

By Guardians of  
No. 1110 Anna Moore Gooch  
No. 1037 Nancy E. Taylor

All persons interested in said accounts or Trusts in any way whatever will take notice that the same have been set for hearing on the 8th day of June, 1918, at or before which time exceptions may be filed to any of said accounts and the same will be heard at that date or at such other time as the Court may designate.

FRANK M. ALLEN,  
Probate Judge.

May 2, 1918.

## "See 'Gets-It' Peel Off This Corn."

Leaves The Toe as Smooth as the Palm of Your Hand.

The corn never grew that "Gets-It" will not get. It never irritates the flesh, never makes your toe sore. Just two drops of "Gets-It" and presto! the corn-pain vanishes. Shortly you can peel the corn right



It's Wonderful to See "Gets-It" Peel Off Corns!

off with your finger and there you are—pain-free and happy, with the toe as smooth and corn-free as your palm. "Gets-It" is the only safe way in the world to treat a corn or callus. It's the sure way—the way that never fails. It is tried and true—used by millions every year. It always works. "Gets-It" makes cutting and digging at a corn and fussing with bandages, knives or anything else entirely unnecessary. "Gets-It," the guaranteed, money-back corn-remover, the only sure way, costs but a trifle at any drug store. M'd by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill. Sold in Washington C. H. and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by Brown's Drug Store and Blackmer & Tanquary.

## NOTICE OF SALE

OF SCHOOL PROPERTIES.

Pursuant to a resolution adopted by the Board of Education of Union township rural school district of Fayette County, Ohio, on the 27th day of April, 1918, for the sale of certain school property in said district, the said Board of Education will offer for sale at public auction on

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 12th, 1918, the following described school property. The same to be sold upon the premises at the hour hereinafter designated, to-wit:

8:30 A. M.  
School No. 9, known as the Mt. Grove school, situate on the Chillicothe Pike, and consisting of a one room brick school building and school lot together with outbuildings.

9:00 A. M.  
School No. 1, known as the Vance school, situate on the Greenfield Pike and consisting of one room brick school building and school lot, together with outbuildings.

9:30 A. M.  
School No. 21, known as the Sun shine school, situate on the McCoy Road, and consisting of one room frame school building and school lot together with outbuildings.

10:00 A. M.  
School No. 3, known as the Mt. Zion school, situate on the Sever Road and consisting of one room brick school building and school lot, together with outbuildings.

10:30 A. M.  
School No. 19, known as the Camp View school, situate on the Palmer Pike, and consisting of one room brick school building and school lot, together with outbuildings.

11:00 A. M.  
School No. 6, known as the Chaffin school, consisting of one room brick school building, together with outbuildings.

11:30 A. M.  
School No. 5, known as the Johnstown school, situate on the Jamestown pike, consisting of one room brick school building and school lot, together with outbuildings.

1:00 P. M.  
School No. 20, known as the Wood lawn school, situate on the Jeffersonville Pike, consisting of a two room brick school building and school lot, together with outbuildings.

1:30 P. M.  
School No. 7, known as the Mt. Eber school, situate on the Bloomingburg and New Holland Pike (at Culpepper), consisting of a one room brick school building and school lot, together with outbuildings.

2:00 P. M.  
School No. 5, known as the Brock school, situate on the Prairie Pike, and consisting of a one room brick school building, together with outbuildings.

2:30 P. M.  
School No. 13, known as the Willow Run school, situate on the Lewis Pike, consisting of a one room brick school building and school lot, together with outbuildings.

Where school lots are to be sold, the school building and school lot will be offered as a whole.

The outbuildings will be offered separately.

Said Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Terms of sale—Cash.

Dated this 9th day of May, 1918.

By Order of the Board of Education of Union Township Rural School District, Fayette County, Ohio.

W. W. WILSON, President.  
R. R. MADDOX, Clerk.

Boost Washington; Buy at home.



# THE FAYETTE COUNTY WAR CHEST

The campaign for which opens next week under the direction of the Fayette County War Work Council will give you an opportunity to express your love of Liberty in

## Dollars and Cents

Thousands will die for you "Over There" this year. What will you do for them "Over Here?" The promptness with which you discharge your obligation to the Fayette County War Chest will be your answer.

**In The Years To Come You Will Forget The Money. They Never Will.**

The menace to civilization is here right now. Our boys "Over There" must beat back the Hun horde. They give their all—home loved ones and opportunity—all even life itself.

**What will you give?—What can you give?**  
**Give All You Can. That's The Least You Can Do.**

Stand behind the men who stand behind the guns. These lines must not and will not waver. Ours too must hold against the Huns.

**The Fayette County War Chest Plan is Our Big Chance to Do and Do Effectively a Part.**

### FOLK DANCES DELIGHT BIG GATHERING

Pupils of the Local Schools in Patriotic Entertainment at Auditorium Wednesday Amaze Audience With Proficiency.

Great Success of Entertainment Is High Tribute to Patriotic Zeal, Industry and Ability of Corps of Instructors.

Stirring anew local pride in Washington's splendid schools and arousing delighted enthusiasm that showed itself in recurrent outbursts of applause, the Patriotic Pageant, consisting of Operetta and Folk Dances passed off with tremendous success at the High School Auditorium Wednesday night and leaves a high water record in unique and ambitious school entertainments.

The idea of the Patriotic program appealed to the public as most opportune and the turning over of the proceeds to the Red Cross happily in accord, the coalition of patriotism and school interest drawing a capacity audience and many were unable to obtain seats.

While keen anticipation had been whetted the audience was not prepared for the brilliancy and originality with which the entertainment was put on; the beautiful stage settings and the artistic perfection of the scenes.

It was presented by pupils of the grammar grades of the Public Schools, and under the direction of Miss Elizabeth Sheen, Supervisor of Music, assisted by Principals and teachers of the Grade Schools, and the complete co-operation of Supt. McClain, Misses Lorie King and Marian Whelpley accompanists.

Two hundred children took part and that each child had put hard work and enthusiasm into the role assigned was as evident as the fact

that they had been wonderfully trained.

Then, too, the mothers are entitled to share in the round up of appreciation for it was their efforts which had contributed the costumes and without question a large part of the attraction of the entertainment was due to the spectacular effect created by the gorgeous costumes.

It was a most happy idea to give as part first the Operetta "Hiawatha's Childhood," the opening scene presenting the life of those people in the trust sense Americans—the Indians. The text of the Operetta follows Longfellow's famous poem and the music, full of the weird minor strains of the Indian melodies, by Bessie M. Whitely.

Much ingenuity had been shown in the stage settings, creating a picturesque scene of Indian life in a virgin forest, on the shores of a lake, and dotted with the wigwam of the Indians.

The make ups of the young performers were splendid—the war paint, feathers and beads and an infinite variety of gay and typical Indian costumes.

The Operetta was in three scenes, introducing the Indian War Dance, wind song and phantom dance, dance of the fire-flies and specialties both pretty and eccentric and giving accurate portrayal of the Indian life. The boys and girls took the parts remarkably well, even their expressions trained to the Indian's stoicism. Both choruses and solo parts were beautifully sung—the volume and expression of the choruses exceptional for such young pupils and showing the effect of Miss Sheen's fine training.

Between parts one and two Hon. C. A. Reid, one of the Government four-minute men, called forth great applause in a brief but stirring plea for response to the call of the war chest if the civilization of two thousand years is to be maintained.

Part second presented Folk Dances of allied and neutral nations, giving fascinating glimpses of the merry making side of these nations, and running the gamut of the picturesque and the humorous.

The out door setting of the Operetta provided just the right background for these beautiful dances of England, Sweden, Italy, Japan, Ireland, France, Scotland, Russia and America.

The characteristics of each nation expressed themselves in these dances, introduced by the "King

Bluff Hal May Pole," the favorite English dance and most beautifully put on by girls in white, the only touch of color in the scene in the red white and blue ribbons which they gracefully plaited around the May pole. The May pole dance was put on by pupils of Sunnyside Fourth, Fifth and Sixth grades, directed by Miss Lulu Rowan.

Cherry Hill—Fourth, Fifth and Sixth grades, directed by Miss Nelle Rowan, drew a storm of applause in the dances of Sweden, given in picturesque and vari-colored peasants costumes and with an abandon to the spirit of the festival that made them doubly captivating. They gave the Clap Dance, Kull Dansen, and the rollicking Carousal in finale.

Italy scored the most brilliant costumes. Her young sons and daughters joyously celebrating a feast day in the gayest costumes of scarlet, yellow and black, and so light footed and full of "pep" as they danced to the rhythm of tambourines and castanets that the audience went wild over the "Tarantella". This dance was given by pupils of East Side Fifth grade, directed by Miss Susan Putnam.

In effective contrast was the Japanese Dance, by Central Fifth grade, directed by Miss Prudence Culhan. Charming Japanese maidens, in pale blue and pink Kimonos, with butterfly sashes, fans and chrysanthemums in their hair, imitated the mincing steps of these coy maidens of the Orient. It was an extremely pretty dance.

Then came the Irish jig by pupils of East Side, Fourth grade, directed by Miss Faye Jobe and Miss Tullis. There was certainly "some steppin'" in this dance and the happy-go-lucky girls and boys of Erin in the prettiest costumes of white and green made one of the biggest hits of the evening.

The graceful dance of France, "La Cinqtain"—by eighth grade girls, directed by Misses Allen and Montgomery was very beautiful—the girls in artistic costumes of red, white and blue, their hair bound by fillets and stockings laced in ballet fashion. The figures of this dance were intricate and perfectly given.

The appearance of the "Scottish Highlanders" in the Highland Fling was the signal for a fresh burst of applause. They were young pupils, from Miss Louise Weaver's Fifth grade and perfectly irresistible in their spirit and "pep" wearing the Scotch Kilts, tartans and feathered

caps of the true Highlander. The agility of the young dancers kept up through one of the hardest dances put on.

A quartet of Eighth grade girls gave a very effective Russian dance in Cossack costume of blue and black. It was most skillfully given.

Then came America and four dances of national fame were beautifully put on.

Pupils of Miss Belle Owens, courtly gentlemen and beautiful women of Colonial days, danced the stately minuet, recalling a period of distinctive charm.

The Virginia Reel was danced in the gayest spirits by pupils of Miss Goldie Baughn, the girls and boys in the quaint costumes of 1860. It was perfectly given.

Colored pupils of Miss Naomi Rowan brought down the house in a "Dixie Dance," given in true Alabama fashion.

As of taken from the canvas of the era of George Washington with all the charm and formality of that period pupils of the Fourth grades of Miss Edyth Blackman and Miss Anna Bell gave an old fashioned quadrill. It was danced with quaint dignity by as capitivating belles and beaux as ever the "Father of our Country smiled on" and the participants wore the powdered periwig, the knee breeches or the curls and patches of the day. The quadrille was called by a handsome Colonial gentleman and a real Indian fiddler played.

The program closed with a beautiful tableau which left the audience strangely moved. It was formed by the G. A. R. veterans headed by the drum corps, boys in khaki and Red Cross nurses on the stage and forming a background for all the performers in the pageant grouped below.

The Operetta was given by pupils of Misses Helen Toeters and Elton Brown.

The beautiful piano music added greatly to the entertainment and the assistance of S. E. Irvin in the stage decorations was a factor.

Supt. McClain announced that owing to the number who could not get seats the Pageant would be repeated Friday night. It is being put on for the grades Wednesday and Friday afternoons.

**Spring Fertilizers in stock**  
**C. F. Bonham's warehouse.**  
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### READY TO OBEY CALL OF COUNTRY

Thursday morning a Fayette county farmer, past middle age and showing every evidence of being a hard worker, appeared at the office of the Local Board, accompanied by his son who had been notified to appear for the next contingent to be sent to camp, or file agricultural claims.

"I don't want to be thought a slacker, and if I am needed, I am ready to go," stated the young man as he filed his agricultural claims.

"I need the boy awfully bad, but if the government needs him more, he is ready to go and I will be ready for him to go," explained the father.

### EPISCOPALIANS ATTEND CONVENTION

Dr. J. M. Boyd and Mr. George H. Hitchcock, were delegates from St. Andrew's Mission, attending the Episcopal Convention at Christ's Church in Avondale, Wednesday.

They brought back glowing reports of a splendid convention, with delegates from all over the state and great enthusiasm.

Bishop Boyd Vincent and Bishop Reese Coadjutor of Columbus, made fine addresses.

Mr. Ross, a lay delegate from Portsmouth, who has been attending Episcopal Conventions for years, was presented by the Bishop, and addressed the Assembly. Mr. Ross is a remarkable man for his age, only last week having reached the advanced age of 99 years.

The establishing of the Mission of St. Andrew's in this city and the success with which the work is being carried on received generous praise at the convention and the delegates from it were given much encouragement for future work. Also St. Andrew's Mission received substantial aid from the Diocese. This will be greatly appreciated by the zealous and faithful members.

The W. R. C. Unit for Red Cross and monthly Kensington will be held in I. O. O. F. Hall Friday May 17 at 2 p. m. Let every lady of the Woman's Relief Corps be present. A silver offering for R. C. will be gladly received.

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 3c per pound. 45c peck of 15 pounds

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**Wash Boards** A shipment of 10 dozen came in yesterday—Zinc Rubbing Surface  
 Three sizes—35c, 45c and 60c each  
 Also, Brass King Washboards. Made from good quality brass. 75c each

**Underwood's Chocolates** A fresh shipment just in.  
 Chocolate Creams 35c per pound  
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**CORN BREAD STICK PANS**—made from heavy cast steel, 11 moulds to the pan, 75c each.  
**KRUSTY KORNKOB PANS**—with moulds shaped like an ear of corn. \$1.00 each.  
**GEM PANS**—11 and 12 moulds each. 65c each.  
**HANDLED GRIDDLES**—85c each.  
**SKILLITS**—55c, 70c, 80c, 90c and \$1.10 each.



Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS. LAST SALE

New York, May 16. — American Beet Sugar 74½; American Sugar Refining 114½; Baltimore & Ohio 55½; Bethlehem Steel 90½; Chesapeake & Ohio 59½; Erie 16½; Kennicott Copper 34½; Louisville & Nashville 117; Midvale Steel 57; Norfolk & Western 107; Ohio Cities Gas 41½; Republic Iron and Steel 92; United States Steel 111½; Willys Overland 19½.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Pittsburg, May 16.—Hogs — Receipts 3000; market lower; heavies \$17.50@17.75; heavy yorkers \$17.90@18.00; light yorkers \$17.90@18.00; pigs \$17.50@18.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 300; market steady; top sheep \$14.25; top lambs \$17.50.

Calves—Receipts 150; market active.

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IF YOU WANT TO INSURE your mealtime comfort patronize this meat market. All of our choice meats are selected with expert care that guarantees their freshness and wholesomeness. We will be pleased to wait upon you.

Barchet's Meat Market

Chicago, May 16.—Hogs—Receipts 2000; market unsettled; bulk \$17.15@17.50; light \$17.05@17.55; mixed \$16.85@17.55; heavy \$16.00@17.40; rough \$16.00@16.45; pigs \$14.00@17.35.

Cattle—Receipts 12000; market weak; native beef cattle \$16.25@17.60; stockers and feeders \$9.00@12.85; cows and heifers \$7.00@14.25; calves \$8.00@14.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 12000; market steady; sheep \$12.00@16.15; lambs \$14.75@20.60.

Cleveland, O., May 16.—Cattle—Receipts 200; market steady.

Calves—Receipts 500; market steady; good to choice veal calves \$13.50@14.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 500; good to choice lambs \$16.50@17.00.

Hogs—Receipts 2000; market lower; heavy \$17.75; heavy and medium \$17.75; pigs \$17.75; stags \$15.50.

Cincinnati, O., May 16.—Hogs—Receipts 4500; market lower; packers and butchers \$17.00@17.35; common to choice \$10.00@15.00; pigs and lights \$12.00@17.35; stags \$10.00@12.50.

Cattle — Receipts 1300; market lower; steers \$8.50@17.00; heifers \$7.50@14.00.

Calves—\$7.50@13.50.

Sheep—Steady.

Lambs—Steady.

GRAIN MARKET CLOSE

Chicago, May 16. — Corn — May \$1.27½; July \$1.41½.

Oats—July 65½; May 75½.

Pork—July \$42.15.

Lard—Sept. \$24.97; July \$24.60.

Ribs—Sept. \$23.30; July \$22.80.

CLOVER SEED

Prime cash \$18.25.

October \$14.55.

ALSIKE

Prime cash \$15.25.

TIMOTHY

Prime cash (old) \$3.77½; September \$4.47½.

THE LOCAL MARKET

Wheat ..... \$2.07

Corn ..... \$1.25

Oats ..... 70c

WASHINGTON PRODUCE MARKET

Eggs, paying price ..... 32c

Eggs, selling price ..... 34c

Butter ..... 26c

Fancy butter ..... 30c

Young Chickens ..... 18c

SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST THIS MAN

Fred Mabra and Sam Harris, of Jeffersonville, in the Probate Court have filed affidavits against Harrison Brock of Jeffersonville, charging him with contributing to the delinquency of two small girls.

Brock was brought to this city in the custody of Marshal Allen of Jeffersonville and furnished bond in the sum of \$600 for his appearance before the court within the next few days.

Brock is a man of some 70 years of age.

AVIATION STUNTS SATURDAY AFTERNOON

The aviators from the Fairfield aviation field will reach this city about eleven o'clock Saturday morning, if the weather is not bad, and land on the Howat field on the Greenfield pike.

In the afternoon daring feats in air will be put on by one of the best aviators in America. This will take place about 2:30, and following this a band concert will be given on the Court House Lawn and speeches will be made by Hon. John G. Price and others, including Hon. H. M. Daugherty, providing his health will permit, as he is ill at the present time.

MUCH INTEREST IN FOOD DEMONSTRATION

Miss Whitacre, of the Ohio State Extension School, brought here by the Woman's Committee, Council of National Defense, in the interest of Food Conservation, gave her first demonstration at the Johnson Auto Sales room Thursday morning.

The special object of these demonstrations is to show Fayette county women how to use wheat substitutes and the multiple ways in which these substitutes can be satisfactorily worked up.

At the opening demonstration Miss Whitacre showed how to make both yeast and quick breads. A number of women were present and found that if Miss Whitacre's instructions were followed it would be an easy matter to comply with the requirements of the food pledge card.

The materials for the demonstrations are being furnished from Barnett's, Kidner's, Fite's and the Orman groceries—and patriotically donated by the proprietors.

There will be demonstrations Friday and Saturday at 9:30 and 2:30 at Johnson's sales room on E. Court street.

Every woman in the county is urged to attend these demonstrations.

MIGHT GET SWINE FROM HUNLAND

(Associated Press Correspondence)

Copenhagen, May 1.—Denmark's stock of swine, which amounted to about 2,500,000 head at the outbreak of the war, has now dropped to 400,000, according to latest estimates. Further serious inroads on this stock are being compelled by the impossibility of importing fodder, principally corn. In 1913 Denmark's total exports of pork were nearly 250,000 tons, of which just under one half went to England. All exports have now been stopped and the outlook for supplying the domestic consumption's requirements will be dark if the war continues much longer.

THREATEN TO MOBILIZE

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, May 16.—A copy of the protest made by the Soviet Government to the German Ministry of Foreign Affairs on April 26th, against German aggression, made public today by the State Department, shows the Russians gave notice of their intention to mobilize "all necessary forces in order to secure the freedom and independence of the Russian republic which is now menaced beyond the limit."

FIRST BONDS FARM LOANS ON MARKET

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, May 16.—The first federal farm loan bonds bearing the new higher interest rate of 5 per cent will be placed on the market next week and an active selling campaign will be started to continue until the Liberty Loan campaign next fall.

It will constitute the first public offering of farm loan bonds since the Treasury began absorbing them three months ago. About \$57,000,000 have been bought by the Treasury.

OTIS NAMED

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, May 16.—Chas. A. Otis, president of the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce was appointed by the War Industries Board today to make a survey of the industrial resources of the country.

ENTHUSIASM SHOWN AT EDGEFIELD MEET

At Edgefield, Wednesday night, much enthusiasm was shown by the citizens of the community who had assembled at the Christian church for a War Chest meeting.

Hon. J. D. Post, John Logan and H. M. Rankin delivered the addresses of the evening, explaining the plan of the War Chest and giving reasons why it should be supported by every citizen of the county, whether old or young, rich or poor. The attendance was large and the interest could not have been more pronounced.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT FOR WEEK

The weather during most of the week was fine for all growing crops and generally for farm work. The rainfall was light except on Saturday and Sunday when it was not only abundant but in many sections quite excessive. All grain and grass crops have made substantial improvement and are now in good to excellent condition. Corn planting is well advanced in many sections of the state but has now been delayed by the wet condition of the fields. The prospect for fruit has improved somewhat in the case of cherries, peaches and plums, which continue poor. Excellent progress was made in gardening.

THE NATIONAL REPORT

Washington, D. C., May 15, 1918.—The weather was favorable for grains meadows, pastures, potatoes, gardens and fruits, except in the northwest where it was too cold. All wheat made excellent progress except in North Dakota where there was some damage to spring wheat by low temperatures and in southwest Iowa and south and west Oklahoma where there was some damage to winter wheat by drought. The harvesting of wheat has begun in the extreme south. Corn improved in the south and planting made rapid progress in central districts except where delayed by heavy rains in parts of the Ohio and central Mississippi valleys.

WILLIAM H. ALEXANDER, Meteorologist.

LADIES OF THE G. A. R.

The regular meeting of the Ladies Circle of the G. A. R., Friday afternoon, May 17th at 2:30.

MARY MILLIKAN, Pres.

MAZIE ROWE, Secy.

IMPERIAL REBEKAH LODGE.

There will be a called meeting of Imperial Rebekah Lodge No. 717 at I. O. O. F. Hall for the purpose of conferring the degree. Our District Representative also will be present and give report of Ohio Rebekah Assembly. A full attendance is desired.

SECRETARY.

CHAS. JOHNSON BUYS COLONIAL

Mr. Chas. B. Johnson, who for many years has been engaged in the moving picture show business in this city, has purchased of Mr. Frank V. Jamison, the Colonial Theater, and assumed the management of the Colonial Thursday afternoon.

It is the intention of Mr. Johnson to conduct the Colonial on the same high plane as heretofore, sparing neither trouble nor expense in offering to the public the best that can be obtained in filmdom.

Manager Jamison, who has so successfully conducted the Colonial, desires, in retiring from the amusement business in Washington, to extend his thanks to the public for the very liberal share of patronage accorded him and the very generous appreciation of his endeavor to bring the highest class pictures obtainable to his theater.

During Manager Jamison's regime at the Colonial many famous reels have been brought here and his untiring energy and high ambition have been the means of bringing a large number of high class attractions to the local play house.

He has, at all times, conducted his theater on high class lines and presented clean attractions.

It is with regret on the part of the public, although a continuation of the same high class methods is certain under the management of his successor, that Washington moving picture patrons learn of Mr. Jamison's retirement.

B. Y. P. U. MINDFUL OF SOLDIER BOYS

It is a custom at the Baptist church in Chillicothe, to entertain the soldiers every Wednesday night after services.

The Baptist Young People's Union of this city, motored to Chillicothe, last night, and royally entertained the soldiers.

They took with them an ample supply of delicious home made pies, which the boys thoroughly enjoyed.

Those who were in the party were: Misses Mabel Briggs, Elva Belles, Florence Ogle, Sarah DeWees, Annis Morse, Margaret DeWees, Merle Jones, Floren Smith, Mrs. Howard Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Howard McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Snider, Mr. and Mrs. Crebbs, Mrs. Walter Tainor, Rev. G. L. Hart, Messrs. Dave and Walter Miller.

ENJOYABLE SOCIAL

The Daughters of America are well pleased with the success of their ice cream social held Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Frank Morris.

There was a good attendance and a nice sum netted for the Lodge.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Henton Cook was able to leave the Fayette Hospital Wednesday afternoon, and return to her home on West Maple street.

Miss Edna Winnigar who underwent a recent operation at the Fayette Hospital, returned to her home in Millwood Wednesday afternoon.

AUTOS STOLEN

The daily newspapers tell of Ford automobiles being stolen right along at Columbus, Chillicothe, Springfield, Dayton and other places. The time for automobile thieves to get in their work is when you are not with your machine, when it is parked or in your garage. The cheapest insurance against theft is to have a Ram anti-theft lock put on your Ford auto. We install them in five minutes for \$2.50. Two keys with each lock. Hitchcock & Dalbey. Advt.

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SPIDER WEB SOCIAL

The Loyal Daughters Bible Class of the Christian Church will hold a spider Web Social at the home of Miss Dorothy McArthur, first corner past Sunnyside School Building, Tuesday evening, May 21. Come and have a good time.

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DAY IN CAMP

Postal System at Camp Sherman Requires Work of Many Men to Handle it Speedily and Properly.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Camp Sherman, Chillicothe, O., May 16.—A postal system sufficient to take care of the needs of a city of 75,000 people is required to handle all the mail for the 40,000 selectives of the Eighty-Third Division here. Soldiers who were formerly in the postal service as well as a small force of civilian clerks comprise the personnel of the staff. Lieutenant W. W. Willing, of Ashtabula, is in charge of the post office.

Under his direction a system of regimental and company post offices with competent and responsible men in charge has been instituted. Huge motor trucks rush the mail to regimental offices as soon as it has been distributed at the main camp post office. From the regimental offices it is sent to company offices and distributed to the men at given hours.

Exclusion of contraband, such as intoxicating liquors, drugs and other articles which have been banned from the camp forms an important part of the postal work. Each man who receives a package from home must open it and satisfy the selective in charge of the mail, or some officer designated for the work, that his mail is entirely proper.

Approximately 75,000 pieces of mail are handled daily. The incoming mail is heavier than the outgoing. It is especially voluminous following the arrival of thousands of new men in the cantonment, postal authorities say. A directory of all men who have been sent to camp or who have been connected with the cantonment in a civilian capacity forms an important means of locating men whose mail is improperly addressed. Eighty thousand cards contain the name, rank, organization, home address and new address, if transferred, of all the men who have been here.

It is the task of the postal authorities to run down the owner of a piece of mail if it takes months. As a case in point, authorities tell of a letter which came here from one of the government offices in Washington addressed simply “Brown, Camp Sherman, Ohio.” With more than 500 Browns in the cantonment, every one of them would have received the letter if the proper owner had not been discovered.

With the establishment of battery and company post offices in charge of competent men thefts of mail have been reduced to 25 per cent of what they were when the camp first opened, officers declare. Four hundred and ten company offices have been opened where the mail for all of the men is handled. In addition, 41 substations have been established in the regiments and other separate organizations. Distribution of the tons of magazines sent to the selectives from the entire state of Ohio forms an important part of the work. The magazines are sorted and counted and must be tied in bundles before they are sent to the camp library or to the Y. M. C. A. buildings.

Postal authorities have made a plea for indestructible tags to be used with parcel post mail, especially with packages of laundry. They declare that each week sees scores of suitcases and other boxes of laundry lost in the larger cities of the state because senders have failed to use proper precautions in mailing the packages. Paper tags are easily torn and mutilated, they say.

Special service is given to the patients at the base and regimental hospitals and at the rifle and artillery ranges, which are outside of the camp proper. Before the men in camp receive their mail the men in the hospitals and on the ranges are reading their letters and enjoying the boxes of edibles from home.

RANK AND FILE ARE  
BACK OF WAR CHEST  
IN FAYETTE COUNTY

There is every indication that the rank and file of Fayette county citizens will support the War Chest movement in the county almost to a person.

Probably no better evidence of this can be found than a discussion in a small store in Rural Fayette, which occurred no later than Wednesday night.

Nearly a half score men of the community were assembled at the store, and the War Chest was under discussion.

The first remark came from a farmer of some 50 years, and was to the effect that he intended to pay his full part at one time, and not by monthly installments as one of the ways provided.

A farm hand came next with: “You can bet your bottom dollar that I’m going to do my part when the men come around who are taking the funds.”

Another farm tenant then declared that: “I don’t believe there is a man in Fayette county who will not do what is asked of him for the War Chest, and if there is such a fellow, he’s a d— poor type of a man and should be run out of the community. A fellow who won’t help

is no better than the dirty Germans.”

It was very evident that every man in the group is heart and soul for the war chest, and according to reports received from other points in the city and county, the same sentiment exists in nearly every community.

SELECTS DESIGNATED  
FOR OFFICERS’ SCHOOL

Chillicothe, O., May 16.—One hundred and five selective service men from this cantonment were designated to attend fourth officers’ training schools at other cantonments. All the men named to report at an early date to their new posts were taken from the 15th depot brigade. Fifteen of the men are negroes.

The appointment of the candidates was the first intimation that selectives from organizations here other than those in the division would be given an opportunity to win commissions in the United States army. With the announcement of the list, the belief was expressed in some quarters that the selectives in the organizations in the division will be given an opportunity to be recommended for second lieutenants after they are sent overseas.

The 99 white enlisted men, most of whom are noncommissioned officers in the training battalions of the depot brigade, will go to Camp Zachary Taylor, at Louisville, Ky., for training. The negro selectives will be sent to Camp Dodge, Des Moines, Ia., which was the scene of the first negro officers’ training school. It is possible that other organizations here may designate men for attendance at the officers’ camps about to begin.

Most of the enlisted men from this cantonment, who were named from colleges and universities permitted to nominate men for attendance at the camps, have received official notifications to report shortly for their training.

BOYS! BOYS!! BOYS!!!

You are wanted to join a boy’s army called the “Christian Army” which meets Wednesday of each week at 6:45 to 9:00 o’clock at their council rooms at the Y. M. C. A. All boys invited between ages of 8 to 16 whether a member of “Y” or not.

Up to date, the army is divided into two separate companies—Co. “Y” for boys in teen age with Selby Gerstner captain, and Co. 2 for boys under teen age with Captain Kerchner in command.

Here after the order of program will be from 6:45 to 7:00 social gathering from 7:00 to 7:30 or 8:00 o’clock chapel services conducted by Robt. Browning of religious department, then from about 7:30 to 9:00 the army will be in command of Secy. Hays, Col. of military department for the carrying on of hikes, marches, drills and the like.

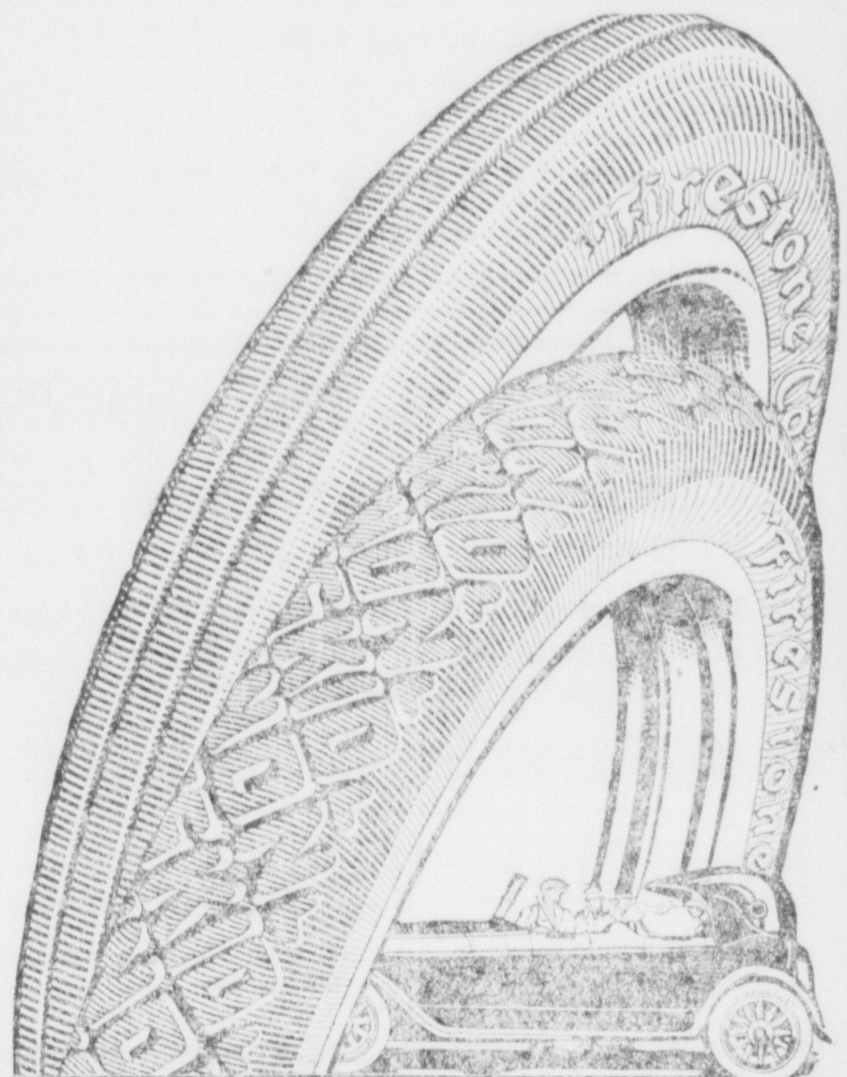
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ANOTHER AVIATION  
FIELD FOR DAYTON

Dayton’s distinction of being the aviation center of the United States is to be further intensified by the addition of another aviation field, the construction of which has been begun by Government employees. This will be located immediately adjacent to the tract upon which stands the plant of the Dayton Wright Airplane Company, at Moraine City, and will be for airplane acceptance purposes.

The opening of the new field is in keeping with the plan of the aviation section of the Signal Corps to establish several of these fields in certain sections of the country.

The field will comprise 180 acres and contain 10 hangars, together with quarters for the men and officers and an administration building.

Between 60 and 90 days are expected to be consumed in finishing the work and it is expected that about 250 men will be stationed at this field after its opening.

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